## THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA

GRADY O. HUMPHREYS, et al.,	)
Plaintiffs,	)
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vs.	)Civil Action No.: 2:07-CV-607-WKW
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A. O. SMITH ELECTRICAL	)
PRODUCTS COMPANY, a division	)
of A. O. Smith Corporation, et al.,	)
	)
Defendants.	)
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# NOTICE OF APPEARANCE ON BEHALF OF DEFENDANT, JOHN CRANE, INC.

Please take notice that the undersigned, Frank E. Lankford, Jr., of the firm of Huie, Fernambucq & Stewart files this Notice of Appearance as counsel of record for the Defendant identified as John Crane, Inc.

This Notice of Appearance is intended solely to protect the record against the entry of default. By the filing of this Notice of Appearance, this Defendant does not waive any defenses including defenses such as insufficient service of process, etc. forum non conveniens, and/or any and all other substantive or procedural defenses.

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### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that I have filed the above and foregoing pleading electronically with the Clerk of Court using the CM-ECF system which will send notification of same to all parties of record on this the 2nd day of August, 2007.

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